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Title: BREATHING DISORDER DETECTION AND THERAPY
DELIVERY DEVICE AND METHOD
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patent
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Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated September 18, 2009 for which a response was due on December 18, 2009. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a three-month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to March 18, 2010. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the Remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.